

Amendment No. 1 to HB0893

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 232*

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By deleting all of the language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-202(c), is amended by adding a new subdivision thereto, as follows:

(8) Tennessee State Guard;

(A) Enlisted; and

(B) Officers;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-203(a)(4), is amended by deleting subdivision (E) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(E) Tennessee state guard -- as provided for in § 55-4-270;

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-270(a), is amended by deleting the language "and paying the regular fee applicable to the motor vehicle and the fee provided for in § 55-4-203," and by substituting instead the language "and paying the fees in subsection (f) of this section,".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-270, is amended by deleting subsection (d) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(d) If a holder of a special purpose plate is discharged from the Tennessee state guard prior to the expiration of the registration under which the plate was issued, the special purpose plate may remain valid for display on the vehicle until the expiration date of the registration, unless it was issued under the tax- exempt allowance. All plates that

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are issued under the tax-exempt allowance shall be surrendered to the Tennessee state guard when the holders of the plates are discharged from service.

(e) This authority for the use of special purpose license plates is not intended to allow the holders of the special purpose license plate to operate vehicles on which they are displayed in violation of state or local laws or ordinances which govern and relate to the use of motor vehicles.

(f)

(1) The fees imposed for registrations using the special purpose plates shall be as follows:

(A) For enlisted Tennessee state guard members there shall be no tax (fee) for registering the first vehicle and the regular license fee shall be collected for any additional vehicles; and

(B) For Tennessee state guard officers the tax (fee) shall be the regular license fee for each vehicle;

(2) The county clerk in effecting registrations through the use of these special purpose plates shall collect other fees that have application for all registrations, such as service charges provided in § 55-6-104 and reassignment fees when applicable.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to new applications for license plates and to license plate renewals as they come due.